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<p>OPIM DIR CITE [REDACTED]</p> <p>EYES ONLY [REDACTED] FROM [REDACTED]</p> <p>CARTER (OUT 78480) *McCone</p> <p>1. REF DIR 37228/ SUGGEST MOST CAREFUL CONSIDERATION TO CONCLUSION</p> <p>LAST SENTENCE PARAGRAPH D. AS AN ALTERNATIVE I CAN SEE THAT</p> <p>AN OFFENSIVE SOVIET CUBAN BASE WILL PROVIDE SOVIETS WITH MOST</p> <p>IMPORTANT AND EFFECTIVE TRADING POSITION IN CONNECTION WITH</p> <p>ALL OTHER CRITICAL AREAS AND HENCE THEY MIGHT TAKE AN UNEXPECTED</p> <p>RISK IN ORDER TO ESTABLISH SUCH A POSITION.</p> <p>DDI</p> <p>2. [REDACTED]</p> <p>[REDACTED]</p>									
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3. FOR BUNDY: WILL LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU IN PARIS AND HOPE YOUR SCHEDULE WILL PERMIT A VISIT THIS COMING WEEKEND.

4. FOR ELDER: IF YOU FEEL IMPORTANT TO DO SO POUCH SELECTED DOCUMENTS INCLUDING RECENT CUBAN NIE'S, MEMORANDA OF INTER-DEPARTMENTAL MEETINGS, [REDACTED] FOR STUDY EN ROUTE. HOWEVER DO NOT REPEAT NOT DO THIS IF SPECIAL COURIER IS INVOLVED.

5. [REDACTED]

END OF MESSAGE

C/S Comments : * The possible establishment of Soviet medium and intermediate range ballistic missiles in Cuba, or the establishment of a Soviet submarine base there would indicate a far greater willingness to increase the level of risk in U.S.-Soviet relations that the Soviet Union has displayed thus far, and consequently would have important policy implications with respect to other areas and other problems in East-West relations.

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